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SUBJECT: POSSIBLE NEW SALE OF AUSTRALIAN WHEAT TO
CHINA

ONE OF CEROILFOOD'S TOP NEGOTIATORS REPORTEDLY HAS
ARRIVED, OR WILL SOON ARRIVE, AUSTRALIA TO DISCUSS NEW
PURCHASE OF AUSTRALIAN WHEAT. TRADE SOURCES CERTAIN
NEGOTIATIONS WILL BE FOR NEW CROP WHEAT, SINCE, ACCORD-
ING TO RUMOR, AUSTRALIA RECENTLY REJECTED CHINESE
REQUEST MORE OLD CROP WHEAT.

WOULD APPRECIATE ANY HINTS YOU MIGHT OBTAIN THROUGH
DISCREET INQUIRIES, WHERE OPPORTUNITIES ARISE, REGARD-
ING POSSIBLE NEW SALE TO CHINA OR CHINA'S CURRENT
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REQUIREMENTS, E.G., WHETHER CHINA TAKES ALL THAT IS
OFFERED, WHETHER NEGOTIATIONS WERE LONGER THAN USUAL,
WHETHER PURCHASES WILL NOW CONTINUE ON PIECE-BY-PIECE
BASIS AS OPPOSED TO LONGER-TERM AGREEMENTS, WHETHER
THERE IS ANY MOVING UP OF DELIVERY SCHEDULE ON EXISTING
SALES, ETC. VANCE

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